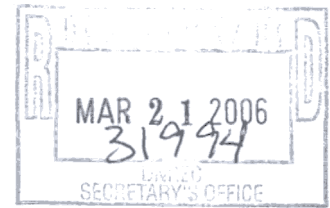


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Secretary John A. Hughes  
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Dear Secretary Hughes,

My wife, Nadyne, and I live in Angola By The Bay. We were delighted when we heard in the past few months that Delaware planned to join with other nearby states to reach new clean air standards. Shortly after we built our home in ABTB eight years ago, we began experiencing first hand the pollution that emanates from the Indian River power plant located immediately to our southwest. Black ash (soot) constantly blankets our home and automobiles. We have already been cautioned about eating fish and other aquatic life taken from Herring Creek and Rehoboth Bay. Most recently, we learned that unhealthy concentrations of mercury have been discovered in the ground water near the Indian River power plant. There is no doubt that the mercury is leaching from the huge mountain of fly ash setting next to the power plant.

How many children and senior citizens are going to suffer serious medical conditions from the toxins generated by the power plant, Delaware's worst polluter? Don't let NRG Corporation continue to trade cleaner air and water in other states while contaminating unchecked the air and water here in Sussex County. We are looking to you and DNREC to set pollution regulations that will end the sickening bait and switch tactics being used by NRG Corporation to maximize its profits. Let's put the health and safety of Delawareans first!

Sincerely yours,

Ronald G. Rosin

